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SUBJECT: CIVIL AVIATION SECURITY TECHNICAL
ASSISTANCE TEAM

REF: ANKARA 50 AND STATE 4046 AND 10405

1. FAA TECHNICAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE TEAM (ALL FAA
EMPLOYEES), DURING THE FEBRUARY 7-14 VISIT, WILL CONSIST
OF THOMAS I. BELL CHIEF, FOREIGN AIR CARRIER SECURITY
(TEAM LEADER), AND CIVIL AVIATION SECURITY SPECIALISTS,
THEODORE KOROLCHUK, DAVID C. LEACH AND VINCENT PUGLISI.
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THE SURVEY PLAN, WITH HOST GOVERNMENT APPROVAL, SHOULD
INCLUDE INITIAL DISCUSSIONS ON THE AVIATION SECURITY
PROGRAM WITH RESPONSIBLE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS
AND BRIEFINGS BY RESPONSIBLE AVIATION SECURITY OFFICIALS
OF ANKARA AND ISTANBUL AIRPORTS. RESPONSIBLE HOST
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SHOULD BE PREPARED TO IDENTIFY
AREAS OF INTEREST AND CONCERN, THEIR OBJECTIVES AND

SPECIFIC PROBLEM AREAS. THIS WOULD PROVIDE AN EXCELLENT FOUNDATION FOR COMMENCEMENT OF THE SURVEY. TO FACILITATE THE SURVEY, HOST GOVERNMENT SHOULD PROVIDE DURING INITIAL MEETINGS AT EACH LOCATION, IF POSSIBLE, AIRPORT LAYOUT, MAPS AND TERMINAL BUILDING DIAGRAMS OF THE TWO AIRPORTS. ON-SITE REVIEW AND EVALUATION WILL BE PERFORMED

OF SECURITY MEASURES AT BOTH AIRPORTS TO DETERMINE REQUIREMENTS AND EFFECTIVENESS. IF APPROPRIATE, RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REVISED PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT WILL BE PROVIDED HOST GOVERNMENT AT EXIT BRIEFING. A WRITTEN REPORT WILL FOLLOW WITH DETAILED FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

2. A COUNTRY BRIEFING BY EMBASSY UPON ARRIVAL OF FAA TEAM ON CIVIL AVIATION AND SECURITY ASPECTS WOULD BE MOST HELPFUL. REQUEST THAT HOTEL RESERVATIONS BE OBTAINED (4 SINGLES) AS PER ITINERARY; INTERPRETER ASSISTANCE AS NECESSARY SHOULD BE PROVIDED AT BOTH LOCATIONS; CLERICAL ASSISTANCE IS REQUESTED FOR PREPARATION OF THE TEAM REPORT AT ISTANBUL (FEB 9-13); A 35MM CAROUSEL SLIDE PROJECTOR AND A CASSETTE TAPE RECORDER IS NEEDED IF SECURITY TRAINING IS DESIRED. PLEASE ADVISE ON LOCAL TRANSPORTATION AVAILABILITY (HOST GOVERNMENT CAR AND DRIVER, AMEMB/CONS TRANSPORTATION, CAR RENTAL). ANY ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE NOT SPECIFICALLY LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MENTIONED, BUT DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE EMBASSY, WILL BE APPRECIATED.

3. TO MAXIMIZE BENEFITS OF THE SURVEY, THE TEAM WOULD LIKE DISCUSSIONS WITH APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS AT EACH LOCATION. TO INSURE FREE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION, PARTICIPANTS SHOULD INCLUDE:

A. HOST GOVERNMENT CIVIL AVIATION SECURITY COUNTERPARTS AT NATIONAL AND LOCAL LEVELS;

B. AIRPORT MANAGEMENT, SECURITY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS;

C. U.S. FLAG AND OTHER AIR CARRIER STATION MANAGERS;

D. OTHER PERSONNEL HAVING AVIATION SECURITY RESPONSIBILITIES.

4. PLEASE ADVISE IF THE HOST GOVERNMENT HAS ANY PARTICULAR DESIRES REGARDING SECURITY TRAINING FOR SELECTED PERSONNEL, E.G. CERTAIN AIRPORT, AIR CARRIER AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

PERSONNEL DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN MANAGEMENT OF THESE PROGRAMS. FORMAL TRAINING SHOULD BE HELD TO A MINIMUM. HOWEVER, THE TEAM WILL BE PREPARED TO PROVIDE SOME TRAINING.

5. THE FAA TECHNICAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE TEAM'S PRESENCE HOST GOVERNMENT SHOULD ALSO BE MADE AWARE OF THIS TO

DISCOURAGE NEWS MEDIA COVERAGE.

6. TO ENSURE MAXIMUM SUPPORT TO THE HOST GOVERNMENT AND TO ASSURE APPROPRIATE MATERIALS ARE ON HAND, PLEASE ADVISE US OF ANY SPECIFIC NEEDS, THE NAME OF LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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